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Presented for filing is a new continuation patent application of:

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Title: MICROPOROUS DIFFUSION APPARATUS

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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Specification	15
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Enclosures:

- Preliminary amendment, 5 pages.
- This application is entitled to small entity status.
- Revocation and New Power of Attorney ( from parent case)
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This application is a continuation application of application serial no. 09/606,952 filed June 29, 2000 (allowed US Patent No. 6,284,143) which was a continuation of

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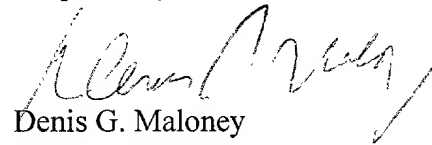
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